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SUBJECT: ECUADOREAN DELEGATION TO UNGA

1. THE GOE HAS ANNOUNCED THE COMPOSITION OF ITS DELEGATION TO THE UNGA. THE DELEGATES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

2. DR. LUIS VALENCIA RODRIGUEZ, IS HEAD OF DELEGATION AND CURRENTLY GOE AMBASSADOR TO PERU. VALENCIA IS A CAREER DIPLOMAT AND ONE-TIME FOREIGN MINISTER. HE WAS SERVING AS AMBASSADOR TO BRAZIL IN 1974 WHEN HE WAS RECALLED TO HEAD THE GOE LOS DELEGATION. VALENCIA HAS FOLLOWED A NATIONALISTIC LINE ON LOS QUESTIONS AND HAS CONSIDERABLE EXPERIENCE IN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES. HE IS POLITICALLY UNAFFILIATED AND CONSIDERED FRIENDLY TOWARD THE U.S. VALENCIA SPEAKS ENGLISH.

3. HUMBERTO GARCIA ORTIZ WAS BORN JULY 7, 1903. HE IS HAS BEEN LEGAL ADVISOR TO THE FOREIGN MINISTRY AND AND CARRIES THE RANK OF AMBASSADOR. HE WAS A DELEGATE TO THE UNGA IN 1969 AND 1972. HE IS KNOWN AS A SOCIALIST WHOSE VIEWS HAVE APPARENTLY MELLOWED IN RECENT YEARS, BUT IT IS DOUBTFUL THAT HE IS FAVORABLY DISPOSED TO THE U.S.

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4. JOSE JULIO AYALA LASSO IS A CAREER DIPLOMAT WHOSE POSTS HAVE INCLUDED TOKYO (CONSUL AND CHARGE). LIMA (CONSUL AND CHARGE), AND ROME COUNSELOR, MINISTER, AND CHARGE). AYALA, BORN IN 1932, HAS HELD SEVERAL RESPONSIBLE POSITIONS IN THE FOREIGN MINISTRY AND IS NOW DIRECTOR GENERAL OF THE TERRITORIAL SOVEREIGNTY DEPARTMENT. HE HOLDS THE RANK OF MINISTER AND SPEAKS ITALIAN, FRENCH AND ENGLISH. AYALA, THOUGH WELL DISPOSED TOWARD US, IS FIRST OF ALL AN ECUADOREAN. IN NEGOTIATIONS HE HAS PROVED HIMSELF A CAPABLE AND ENERGETIC DEFENDER OF HIS COUNTRY'S INTERESTS.

5. MINISTER MARIO ALEMAN SALVADOR, REPRESENTATIVE AD-INTERIM OF ECUADOR'S UN MISSION, IS A CAREER DIPLOMAT. HE HAS SERVED IN BUENOS AIRES, MONTEVIDEO, RIO, MEXICO CITY AND SANTO DOMINGO. IN 1973 HE WAS NAMED TO ECUADOR'S UN MISSION. HE WAS BORN ABOUT 1932 AND RECEIVED A LAW DEGREE FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF QUITO IN THE MID-50'S. HE HAS TAKEN OBJECTIVE STANDS ON THE TUNA AND LOS ISSUES AND HAS A FRIENDLY, POSITIVE ATTITUDE TOWARD THE U.S. ALEMAN HAS TWO BROTHERS WHO ARE RESIDENTS IN NEW YORK CITY..

6. JULIO CORREA PAREDES IS THE ECONOMIC ADVISOR OF THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN RELATIONS. HE IS MARRIED, APPROXIMATELY 35, AND HAS BEEN COOPERATIVE WITH EMBASSY OFFICERS. HE UNDERSTANDS ENGLISH BUT SPEAKS IT HESITANTLY.

7. PERMANENT MEMBERS OF THE DELEGATION ARE:

A) JENNY ALMEIDA DE RIVADENEIRA, FIRST SECRETARY;

B) PAULINA GARCIA DONOSO, FIRST SECRETARY;

C) RODRIGO YEPEZ ENRIQUEZ, SECOND SECRETARY;

D) RAMON RODRIGUEZ, THIRD SECRETARY.
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